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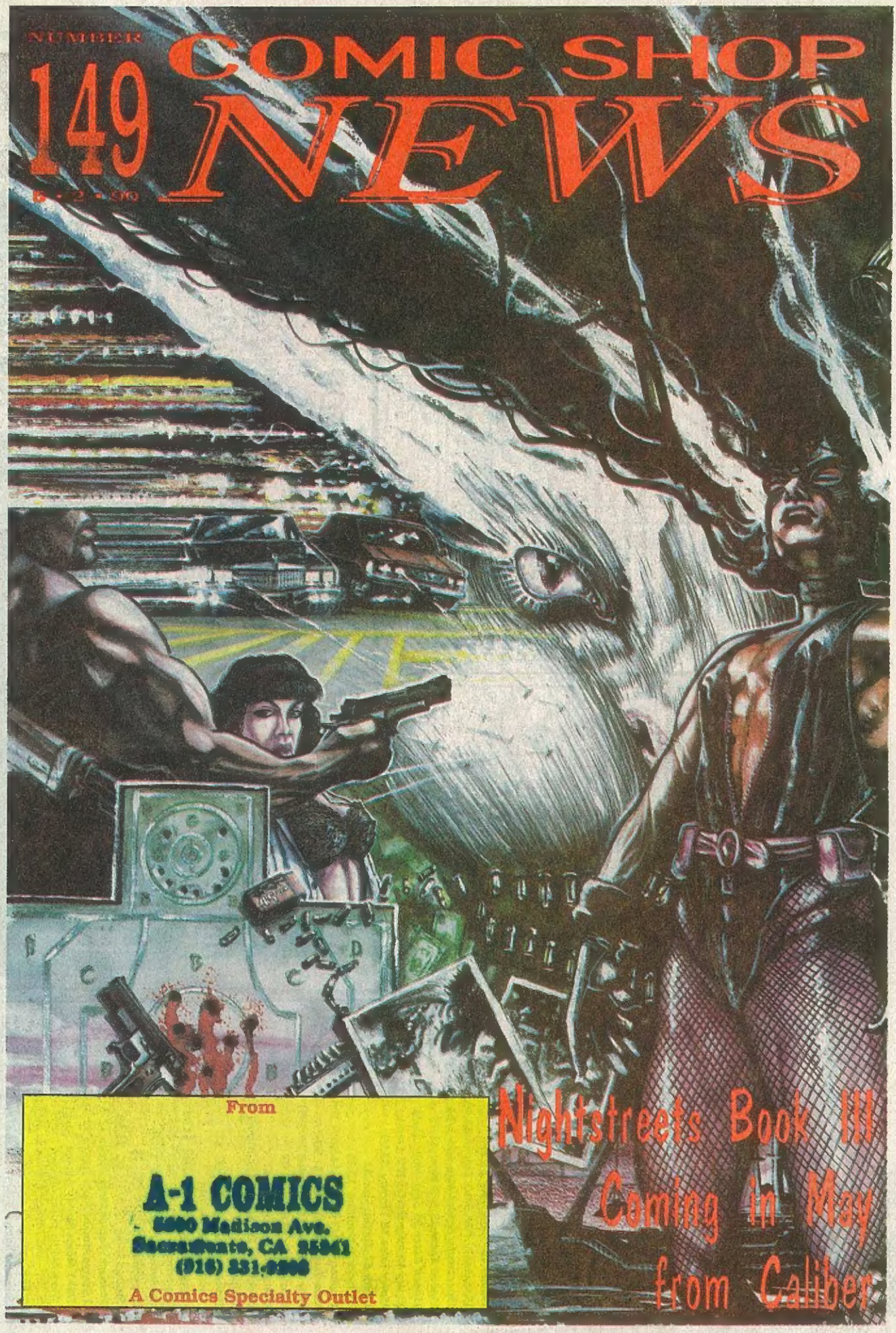

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Let's Get Small!

Spider-Man has had more than his share of heavy, grim adventures recently--and with the upcoming ***Spider-Man*** title slated to feature more of the same, you might wonder if Spidey will ever see any variety in his life.

If it's variety you want, then this year's ***Spider-Man Annuals*** are just what you've been looking for, bunky!

"Spider-Man's Totally Tiny Adventure," which also could be called "Honey, I Shrunk the Web-Spinner," is certainly a different sort of Spider-Man adventure than fans have seen in recent months. In this three-part story which will run through all three Spider-Man Annuals in June, an accidental exposure to Dr. Pym's shrinking element reduces Spider-Man to the size of...well, a *spider*!

The action doesn't stop there, though. In spite of Ant-Man's help, Spider-Man continues to shrink until he ends up in the microworlds, where he visit, among others, Jarella's world of K'ai. All this leads up to a grand adventure that pits Spider-Man against Psyklop and the Psycho-Man, who's kidnapped Spider-Man because he wants to learn more about those Captain Universe powers that Spidey possessed last fall (obviously comics distribution is very slow in the microworlds...).

Longtime Spidey fans will have every reason to be excited about this year's Spider-Man Annuals, since a trio of artists long associated with Spider-Man will contribute art to the series--as well as a relative newcomer whose work has become synonymous with Spidey for most of his fans.

Gil Kane, one of the all-time greats in the comics industry, will lead off by pencilling the opening installment of "Spider-Man's Totally Tiny Adventure" in ***Amazing Spider-Man Annual #24***, on sale June 7th. The same issue will feature a backup solo adventure starring popular hero/villain Solo; it will be illustrated by Spider-Man co-creator Steve Ditko. Both stories are written by Dave Michelinie. Tom DeFalco, J.M. DeMatteis, and Mike Zeck will also contribute the opening installment of a Sandman story that rounds out the contents of the $2 annual.

A week later, Gerry Conway and Rich Buckler present the second installment of "Spider-Man's Totally Tiny Adventure," which takes him into the microverse. Todd McFarlane will also illustrate a Glenn Herdling story starring the Prowler, and old-time Spidey artist Ross Andru will illustrate the second part of the Sandman story, written by Tony Isabella. All this appears in ***Spectacular Spider-Man Annual #10***, on sale June 14th.

The finale appears on June #21st, when ***Web of Spider-Man Annual #5*** presents the Conway-Buckler conclusion to "Spider-Man's Totally Tiny Adventure." Peter David and June Brigman present a Mary Jane solo story, Tony Isabella and Allan Kupperberg offer a solo story starring Rocket Racer, and Gerry Conway and Ross Andru present a first-of-its-kind team-up: The Punisher and Aunt May! Since Conway and Andru were the original creators of the Punisher, it'll be particularly historic having them once again bring his adventures to life.

Each ***Spider-Man Annual*** will be priced at $2, and will feature 64 pages in a squarebound format.

by CLIFF BIGGERS

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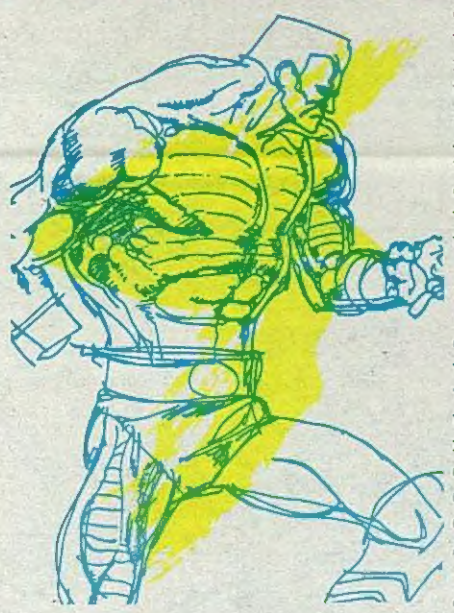
Sienkiewicz Sketchbook Fills the Bill

When Bill Sienkiewicz first started in comics, his Neal Adams-influenced art style attracted fans to his work on ***Moon Knight***. A decade has passed since then, and Bill Sienkiewicz has gone on to become one of the most revolutionary and trend-setting artists in the industry. Fans who want an inside look at the development of one of the industry's most innovative artists will have an opportunity to trace Sienkiewicz's artistic development in ***The Bill Sienkiewicz Sketchbook,*** a May release from Fantagraphics.



The Bill Sienkiewicz Sketchbook will feature 160 pages filled with artwork from all phases of Sienkiewicz's career. The artist has opened his files to Fantagraphics; as a result, ***The Bill Sienkiewicz Sketchbook*** will feature developmental comics work as well as figure and landscape studies, costume designs, humorous drawings, caricatures, roughs for various projects, and some pencilled comic book pages that were never used. This won't just be a book of artwork; Sienkiewicz is also writing notes and commentary on the pieces included in the book. Alan Moore, Sienkiewicz's collaborator on ***Big Numbers,*** is writing the introduction to the volume.

While the bulk of ***The Bill Sienkiewicz Sketchbook*** will contain black and white artwork, the volume will also feature over a dozen full-color pieces, including an all-new cover prepared especially for the ***Sketchbook.***

The Bill Sienkiewicz Sketchbook is being released in three different editions. For those who want all the artwork in the most affordable package, the trade paperback will be priced at $19.95. For fans who want a more durable copy, the hardcover will be priced at $34.95. Fans who want a genuine collectible hardcover signed and numbered edition signed by Sienkiewicz will be pleased to hear that Fantagraphics is offering just such an edition for $39.95.

by WAYNE LEE

It's Spring and change is in the air. One comic book that certainly proves that old adage is ***Mister Miracle***. The Mister Miracle torch will be passed on in an upcoming story as Scott Free ceases to be Mister Miracle, to be replaced by a *new* master escape artist.

And just who might will fill the role of Mister Miracle? He won't be an unfamiliar face to long time comics fans--because the new Mister Miracle is Shiloh from the original Jack Kirby ***Mister Miracle*** stories.

In addition to a change of personnel, there will be some other changes when Shiloh becomes Mister Miracle. The Shiloh-Miracle will use far less gadgets than Scott Free did, relying more on natural abilities. He will also have something that Scott never had-- a new costume! However, Shiloh-Miracle *will* be following Scott's footsteps into the pages of Justice League America--that remains unchanged.

What happens to bring about these changes? Well, the creative team of Doug Moench and Joe Phillips are keeping a lid on that, as well as to the fate of Scott and Barda. Are these changes permanent? Joe Phillips remains mum on that as well--but you'll be able to find out all the answers in upcoming issues of ***Mister Miracle***.

by BRETT BROOKS

Adventure Gives Logan a Run For the Money

Logan's Run, the initial novel in a trilogy by George Clayton Johnson and William F. Nolan, has been made into a film, a television series, and a comic book series in years past, but Adventure Comics feels that the earlier adaptations have missed a lot of the mood and tone of the original novel. When Adventure brings ***Logan's Run*** to the comic book racks as a six-issue limited series beginning in June, they intend to restore the elements that were omitted from the earlier adaptations.

"Our adaptation is very true to the original novel--violent and sexy," Adventure Editor-in-Chief Chris Ulm said. "If you think you've seen ***Logan's Run*** before--think again! Our ***Logan's Run*** is not the MGM movie, TV series, or Marvel comic. It's all new material based solely on the stories written by Nolan and Johnson. Fans will finally be getting what they've wanted to see for the last two decades."

Logan's Run is the story of Logan-3, an elite killer who tracks down Runners. In the society of ***Logan's Run***, every citizen must be executed on his 21st birthday; those who don't are known as Runners. After years of hunting Runners, Logan makes a shocking decision just prior to his 21st birthday--he chooses to become a Runner himself. "He refuses to be struck down in his youth, refuses to allow a coldly mechanistic society to defeat and destroy him," author Nolan said. "He is a man torn between his strictly conditioned upbringing and his growing love of freedom."

Logan's Run is plotted and illustrated by Barry Blair, who will use a DuoShade process to add extra depth to the artwork. "I've drawn all of my inspiration for the series from the novel," Blair said. "It's a lot like ***BladeRunner*** meets ***The Terminator***--gritty, with cities falling apart and death behind every corner."

Tom Mason and Chris Ulm, writers of ***Robotech II: The Sentinels***, will be dialoguing the series based on Blair's layouts. Both plan to keep their adaptation faithful to the original novels. "The TV and movie adaptations cut out a lot of the really good stuff," Mason said. "We're going to keep it all in."

Once ***Logan's Run*** has completed its six-issue run, Adventure will serialize the remaining two novels, ***Logan's World*** and ***Logan's Search***. "After all these years, the real story of Logan will be dramatized in graphic comics terms," Nolan said. "this is heartening to me."

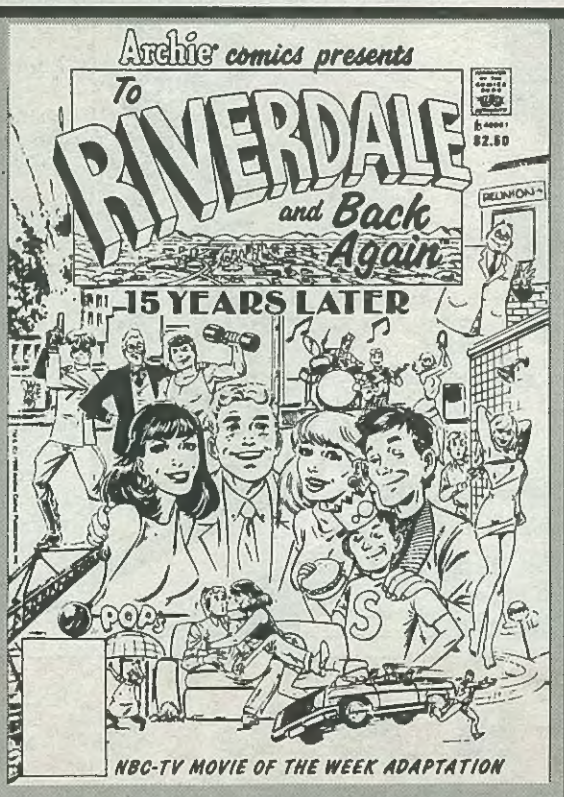
The first issue of ***Logan's Run,*** set for June release, will feature a Paul Gulacy cover. A special three-page ***Logan's Run*** story will appear in selected Adventure, Eternity, and Aircel comics prior to the series debut.

by KIM B. PEARSON

NEWSBRIEFS

AN ALL-STAR CREW HEADS TO RIVERDALE AND BACK AGAIN

When NBC takes its viewers ***To Riverdale and Back Again*** via an NBC made-for-tv live-action film on May 6th, they'll see just what the Archie gang has done "after school." This film depicts what's happened to the Archie gang since graduation; now they're in their thirties, settling down to careers and families. Mr. Weatherby brings the group back together for a reunion, and viewers get a chance to see what's happened to everyone's favorite "eternal teen-agers."



To Riverdale and Back Again is more than a made-for-television movie, though; it's also a 64-page comic book that gives readers a chance to see the Archie gang grown up in the medium that first introduced them to all of us--comic books. Archie has put together an all-star crew to bring this story to comics--including a first-time-ever **John Byrne** depiction of the Archie crew!

To Riverdale and Back Again will kick off with a John Byrne cover; the interiors are written by **Robert Loren Fleming** and illustrated by **Gene Colan,** the famous comics artist who is, for many, the definitive ***Daredevil*** artist. Colan has been doing some outstanding work for Archie recently; with his ability to cross back and forth from the more cartoony Archie style and the more realistic Marvel style, he was a natural for a comic book that took a more realistic look at the Riverdale gang.

To Riverdale and Back Again, a $2 64-page one-shot, will be available in comic shops on May 3rd--giving readers a three-day headstart on the May 6th tv-movie!

WANNA HEAR SOME GREAT STORIES?...

DC's ***Greatest Stories Ever Told*** series has been quite popular since it began in 1987 with a Superman volume. After a single-volume start, DC expanded the series to feature two volumes per year--and that schedule will continue later on in 1990.

This fall/winter, DC will follow up its ***Greatest Golden Age Stories Ever Told*** volume with a ***Greatest 50's Stories Ever Told.*** This book will feature **Jack Kirby**'s Challengers of the Unknown and Green Arrow, **Dick Sprang**'s Batman, **Gil Kane**'s Green Lantern, **Carmine Infantino**'s Flash, **Frank Frazetta**'s Viking Prince and Tomahawk, **Sheldon Mayer**'s Sugar and Spike, and many, many other stories from a classic era of comics.

The Greatest Justice Society of America Stories Ever Told is just what the name implies: a collection of superlative JSA adventures from their 1940-1951 run in the pages of ***All-Star Comics.*** As a bonus, the book will also present one story from the 1960's to represent the JSA's revival in the pages of ***Flash*** and ***Justice League of America*** in the early Silver Age of comics.

No firm release dates have been set for either hardcover thus far; as soon as information is available, ***CSN*** will let you know.

THE BOOTY & THE BEAST

There are an awful lot of Marvel heroes that never manage to earn the ultimate prize in the comic book world: their own series. That lovable blue, fuzzy mutant, the Beast, comes closer to raking in the ultimate booty, his own book, later this year. ***The Beast*** won't be appearing in an ongoing series, but he will star in a 64 page one-shot set for fall release from Marvel Comics. The project is the brainchild of writer **Scott Lobdell** and artist **Rob Liefeld.** This story was originally intended for the pages of ***Marvel Comics Presents,*** but grew out of that and into it's own free-standing comic. The price and format of the book have not yet been set.

NEWSTRALIA HASN'T GONE (DOWN) UNDER YET

It's been a while since ***Newstralia*** appeared on the comics racks--but the magazine hasn't been cancelled. "The Fans of ***Newstralia*** are loyal ones," said **Diana Light,** Innovation's operations manager. ""they just won't allow the series to die!" There are some changes in store for the magazine, though. Beginning with its fourth issue, on sale in early May, ***Newstralia*** will be a black and white comic priced at $2.25; the fifth issue will conclude the current storyline. Any decisions on whether to continue ***Newstralia*** beyond the current five-issue run will be based on sales and response to these last two issues.

PRESENTED FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION...

If you've been a comics fan for a really, really long time, you might remember the excitement generated when **Harlan Ellison** and **Neal Adams** teamed up to produce the story "Rock God" for ***Creepy Magazine*** over two decades ago. It was the first time one of the giants of the comics field joined forces with one of the most acclaimed modern short story writers, and it was a sort of comics event.

Now, some twenty years later, Now Comics is building a touch of that excitement once again with their announcement that Harlan Ellison and Neal Adams will be reunited for the lead story of ***Twilight Zone #1***, set for early July release. "We wanted ***Twilight Zone*** to be a forum for the best of the best," said **Tony Caputo,** Now Comics' President and Publisher, "and we couldn't have asked for a better writer than Harlan to start ***Twilight Zone*** off with a bang. This first issue should make quite a splash." Ellison is a particularly appropriate choice for the debut issue of ***Twilight Zone;*** he was the creative consultant for the reincarnated ***Twilight Zone*** series until story disputes led to his departure.

The 48-page ***Twilight Zone #1*** will also feature a second story by **Don Glut** and **Eddy Newell.** Glut is the author of the horror novel ***Bugged!*** and has written extensively for comics and television animation.

Twilight Zone #1, a full-color comic book, will be available in two editions: a double-sized comic issue priced at $2.95 and a prestige-format high quality edition priced at $3.95. Those who opt to spend the extra buck for the prestige-format ***Twilight Zone #1*** will find an extra bonus inside its covers: the prestige edition will feature an original five-page short story by Harlan Ellison, with illustrations by Neal Adams. This second Ellison/Adams collaboration will be available only in the prestige-format edition. Ellison will contribute an introduction to both editions.

JUST IN CASE YOU'RE A GIGER COUNTER...

H.R. Giger, the artist whose design work on Alien helped change the appearance of space monsters forever, is featured not once but twice in ***Cheval Noir #10,*** a July release from Dark Horse. Giger does the cover for this issue; he is also featured in a special art section inside the issue, including a special foldout page. **Tardi, Druillet,** and others are also featured in this 64-page black and white comic with full-color covers, priced at $3.50.

PERHAPS THESE ARE THE REAL HEROES...

Is it really that heroic to battle armed villains when you possess incredible powers that virtually guarantee your safety? Maybe, maybe not. One thing's for sure, though; it's much more heroic on a human level to voluntarily relocate yourself from your home country to one of the most undeveloped parts of another country in a continent halfway around the world, and then to try and make a difference in the lives of that country's populace. That's what members of the Peace Corps do on a regular basis; as a result, the story of a couple of Peace Corps members may be one of the most individually heroic tales Marvel Comics will publish in 1990.

Tales From the Heart of Africa, a $3.95, 48-page bookshelf-format special by **Nieves, Goff,** and **Hayden,** is a one-shot self-contained storyline that focuses on Cathy Grant and Jack Glaser, two American Peace Corps volunteers who discover that they have a great deal to learn about the culture of Africa before they can begin educating the people they've come to help. It is a part of the ***Tales From the Heart*** series published by Slave Labor Comics, but Marvel fans who haven't read the Slave Labor series will have no trouble following what's going on in this book.

Because ***Tales From the Heart of Africa*** will have broad-based appeal to people who might not normally read comic books, Marvel will be promoting this book in a number of places outside the normal comic book market. This means that you might actually have non-comics-reading friends asking you about it--so don't be left out when the conversation turns to ***Tales Fro m the Heart of Africa***l...

DO YOU REMEMBER TOTAL RECALL?...

You don't? Maybe that's because the film hasn't been released quite yet--but it is set to debut on June 15th. That's also when comics fans can expect to see **Elliott Maggin**'s and **Tom Lyle**'s comics adaptation of the film, courtesy of DC Comics. ***Total Recall,*** based on ***We Can Remember It For You Wholesale*** by award-winning science fiction author **Philip K. Dick,** is the story of an ordinary Earthman who finds himself plagued with dreams of life on Mars, a woman who's not his wife, and a terrifying secret. Investigation reveals that the reality of Doug Quaid's life is a lie--and someone is out to kill him because of his discoveries. ***Total Recall,*** a 64-page adaptation of the film, will carry a $2.95 pricetag.

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NOW SHEDS LIGHT ON NEW HERO

1990 seems to be quite a year of expansion for Now Comics; the company has already announced the addition of ***Alias*** and ***Supercops*** to is action-adventure line and ***Bats, Cats, and Cadillacs*** and ***Mel Mudd*** to its humor line—and they have still another new project set to begin in early July! ***Neon Knight***, created by **Tony Caputo**, is the story of a street hero dedicated to clearing the scum off the streets of his neighborhood. The Neon Knight's weapons are his high-performance motorcycle and his street smarts. His insignia? A cross between a knight's helmet and a grinning skull surrounded by the words "Temporary Insanity." Now has called on ace artist **Norm Dwyer**, who has quite a talent for motorcycle illustration, to pencil the series; the cover for the first issue is being done by **Ken Steacy**. No writer for the series has been named so far; as soon as that information is available, ***CSN*** will let you know.

SQ CONTINUES TO PRESENT CONAN'S COLORFUL ADVENTURES

Conan fans have been quite pleased with SQ Productions' Conan portfolios; if they like what they've seen before, then they're going to love ***Conan Color Classics Set Four.*** This portfolio features six full-color plates by acclaimed artist **Doug Beekman.** Each 11" x 14" color plate features Beekman art originally done for the covers of ***Savage Sword of Conan***; all six illustrations have been re-screened and re-separated for enhanced color reproduction. ***Conan Color Classics Set Four*** comes in a clear plastic slipcase, and is limited to 2000 numbered copies; the portfolio is priced at $20.

COLOR MAKES KINGS OF NIGHT PRETTY AS A PICTURE

Kings of the Knight, the second Dark Horse **Robert E. Howard** limited series, has one very notable difference from the first Howard series, Cormac: this one is printed in full color. There's an important difference in the story as well: rather than featuring just one Howard hero, ***Kings of the Night*** presents a *trio* of Howardian adventurers. The Pict chieftain Bran Mac Morn is joined by Cormac Mac Mart in a final stand against the Roman Empire. The only hope the two have for victory is to find a king who can unite their two armies. This seems like it may be impossible—until the sorcerer Gonar decides to draw a rather famous king from the antediluvian past.

Kings of the Night, a two-issue limited series, is written by **Roy** and **Dann Thomas**, with art by **Gary Barker; John Bolton** supplies the painted cover. Each issue is priced at $2.25. Look for ***Kings of the Night*** to begin in early July.

SOMETHING OLD, SOMETHING NEW

Marvel's May posters give readers a glimpse of something old—a half-century old, in fact—and something new—two somethings, as it turns out, each tying in with limited series currently underway.

The "something old" is ***Captain America #1***; the cover of that fifty-year-old comic book is being reproduced as a full-color 22" x 28" poster to commemorate Captain America's fiftieth anniversary. The poster features the instantly-recognizable **Simon** and **Kirby** artwork that defines Captain America of the Golden Age. The "somethings new" are a ***She-Hulk poster*** by **Joe Chiodo** (a perfect complement to the "Cosmic Squish Principle" storyline) and ***Major Grubert of the Airtight Garage*** by **Moebius**, which relates to the ***Elsewhere Prince*** limited series that spins off from Airtight Garage.

Of course, since Marvel releases these posters four at a time, there's also a ***Wolverine poster*** by **Howard Chaykin** and **Richard Ory** from the ***Nick Fury/Wolverine*** graphic novel. Each of the Marvel posters is priced at $4.95.

KEEP ON PLAYING THOSE MINDGAMES

Mindgame, a company previously known in the comics industry for their merchandising items (shirts, buttons, etc.), will make the jump to comics publishing beginning in July through their newly formed company, Mindgame Press. Their first book, ***The Mindgame Gallery***, will be an anthology comic book with short stories in any number of genres.

"We've wanted to publish for a while, but we were unsure as to what direction to take," Mindgame president Alex Newman said. "We didn't want to be another company who thinks they have the 'concept to end all concepts.' After months of deliberation, we came up with ***The Gallery***."

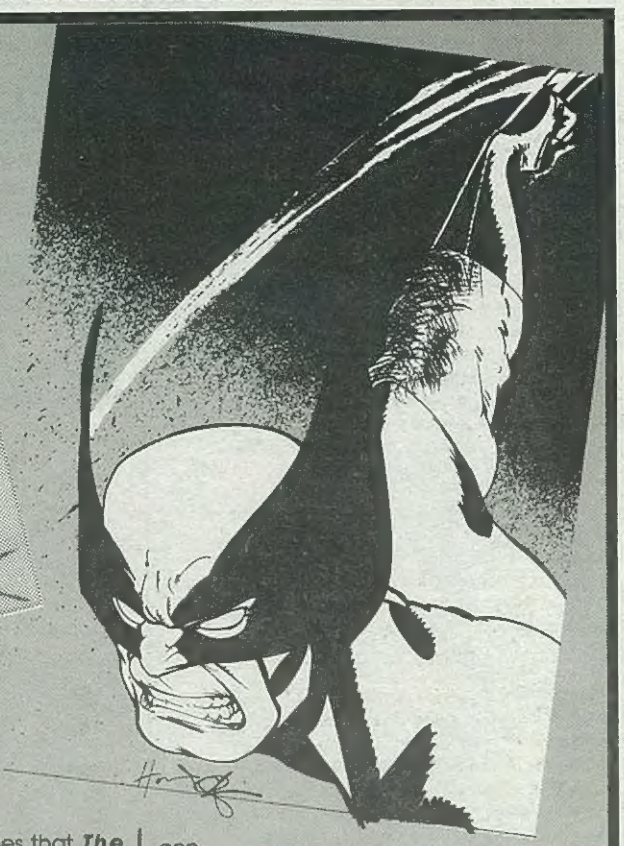
Newman said that ***The Gallery*** will be open to a number of genres. "It's easier to say what won't be in the book than what will be. We wanted to stay away from the usual superhero stories and extremely graphic horror. Other than that, anything goes. Adventure, fantasy, science fiction, even material that's just unusual will show up in the book. While not snubbing traditional sf and fantasy, we would like to push the envelope as far as we can." Newman hopes that ***The Gallery*** can fill the gap left by the absence of quality graphic magazines like Epic Illustrated. The first issue will feature a full-color wraparound cover by **The Pander Brothers. Rick Veitch** and **Steve Bissette** will contribute a World War II tale entitled "War Wind." **Bernie Mireault** will illustrate **Sebastian Hassenger**'s tale "This Machine." Newcomers **Nan Fredman** and **Lee Moyer** contribute "Magpie Surprise."

Upcoming issues include **Rich Hedden** and **Tom McWeeny, Marshall Rogers, Mike Kaluta**, and others. Each issue of The Mindgame Gallery will be priced at $1.95.

MAYBE YOU'VE HEARD MUMBLES ABOUT DICK TRACY ALBUMS

CSN has already told you about Gladstone's upcoming ***Original Dick Tracy*** series; beginning in July, Gladstone will add a series of ***Dick Tracy Graphic Albums*** to its line-up. The first 48-page graphic album will feature Dick Tracy against Mumbles, the gangster who has trouble making himself understood—but always gets his point across. ***Dick Tracy Graphic Album #1*** will be available in comic shops on July 12th.

Two weeks later, the second issue of ***The Original Dick Tracy*** is slated for release; this 64-page $1.95 comic will feature **Chester Gould**'s Dick Tracy in action against the evil "Influence." The entire conflict will be contained in this full-color comic.



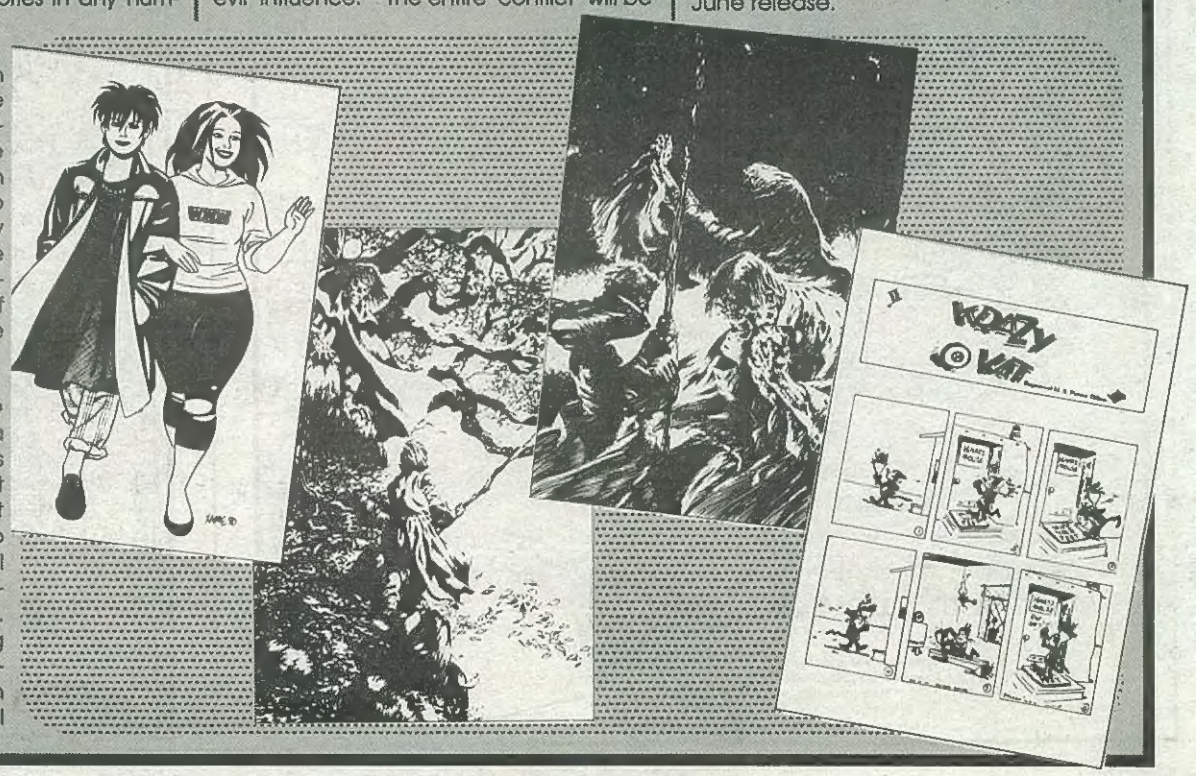
IT'S ALL IN THE CARDS AT FANTAGRAPHICS

Fantagraphics has published comics, graphic albums, sketchbooks, magazines, and calendars in its varied history; in June, they're venturing into a new field, though: postcards. Fantagraphics will kick off its postcard line with three sets of cards, each featuring ten different illustrated cards.

The first set of cards, ***Love and Rockets***, will feature ten new illustrations by **Gilbert** and **Jaime Hernandez**; such popular characters as Maggie, Hopey, Luba, and Errata Stigmata will be featured on the black and white postcards.

The second set is sure to knock 'em dead; it features ten **Bernie Wrightson *Frankenstein*** postcards. Seven of the illustrations will included in the Wrightson-illustrated edition of ***Frankenstein***, but three of the cards feature fully-finished drawings that were not included in the book.

The final set of cards delves deep into comic strip history; it presents ten different classic **George Herriman** images from the ***Krazy Kat*** comic strip. The card set includes full Sunday pages, dailies, and a few isolated images. Each set of Fantagraphics cards will carry a $4.95 pricetag; all cards are slated for late June release.



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The Complete May Checklist is a listing of scheduled titles and the dates that they should arrive in comics shops across the country. That doesn't mean that the books will always be in your shop on the date listed: some publishers ship from different parts of the country, and the farther away the publisher is from your local comic shop, the longer it will take the books to get to you. Publishers are sometimes forced to reschedule titles, and that might result in some date changes on some releases.

Each entry presents the title and number of the book, followed by the release date; if a title doesn't have a scheduled release date (some publishers merely say that their books will ship in May without giving a date), we don't give you a date. After that is the Publisher of the comic and the price. If a book you're looking for is on the index and doesn't arrive in a week or two after the date, be sure to ask the friendly folks at your comics shop; they may be able to update you on schedule changes that have affected that book.

Hang on to this list! It presents the titles that are supposed to ship in May.

❑***Abyss Collection*** Dark Horse $3.95
Both parts of Mike Kaluta's color adaptation of The Abyss, combined into one deluxe package
❑***Action Comics 42*** 5/3 DC .75
"Dark Knight Over Gotham," Part III--A CSN Hot Pick
❑***Adam Strange 2*** 5/3 DC $3.95
Adam Strange hopes to make Rann his home--if he survives the welcoming committee!--a CSN Hot Pick (delayed from March)
❑***Adele & the Beast GN*** NBM $9.95
❑***Advance Comics*** Capital .95
A look at everything coming up in July
❑***Advanced Dungeons & Dragons 19*** 5/10 DC $1.50
❑***Adventures of Luther Arkwright 4*** Dark Horse $1.95
❑***Adventures of Superman 468*** 5/31 DC .75
Bonus: Contains an 8-page "Origin of Superman" installment
❑***Akira 21*** 5/31 Marvel $2.25
❑***Alf 31*** 5/10 Marvel $1
❑***Alf Annual 3*** 5/3 Marvel $2
Meet the New Age Melmutant Abstract Turtles!
❑***Alias 2*** 5/10 Noow $1.75
❑***All-Star Action Heroes 2*** Starlog $3.95
❑***Alpha Flight 86*** 5/10 Marvel $1.50
❑***Amazing Heroes 180*** Fantagraphics $3.50
Tim Truman talks about a variety of upcoming projects
❑***Amazing Spider-Man 334*** 5/10 Marvel $1
❑***Amazing Spider-Man 335*** 5/24 Marvel $1
Spider-Man Vs. the Sinister Six--and it's all bi-weekly!--a CSN Hot Pick
❑***American Special 1*** Dark Horse $2.25
❑***American Splendor 15*** American Splendor $3.50
❑***Amy Papuda 1*** Northstar $2.25
❑***Animal Man 25*** 5/31 DC $1.75
Buddy visits 'comics limbo' to find out just where he came from
❑***Apache Dick 4*** Eternity $2.25
❑***Archie 379*** 5/3 Archie $1
❑***Archie 3000 10*** 5/17 Archie $1
❑***Archie Andrews Where Are You? Digest 69*** 5/10 Archie $1.50

❑***Archie Comics Digest 103*** 5/10 Archie $1.50
❑***Archie's Pals 'n' Gals 217*** 5/10 Archie $1
❑***Armageddon Factor Conclusion*** AC $3.95
❑***Ashes 1*** Caliber $2.50
❑***Atlantis Chronicles 4*** 5/10 DC $2.95
❑***Avengers 319*** 5/17 Marvel $1
❑***Avengers Spotlight 34*** 5/10 Marvel $1
❑***Avengers West Coast 60*** 5/3 Marvel $1
❑***Bager 63*** 5/3 First $1.95
❑***Badlands 1*** Vortex $3
❑***Balance of Power 1*** MU $2
❑***Baoh 6*** 5/24 Viz $2.95
❑***Batman 449*** 5/3 DC $1
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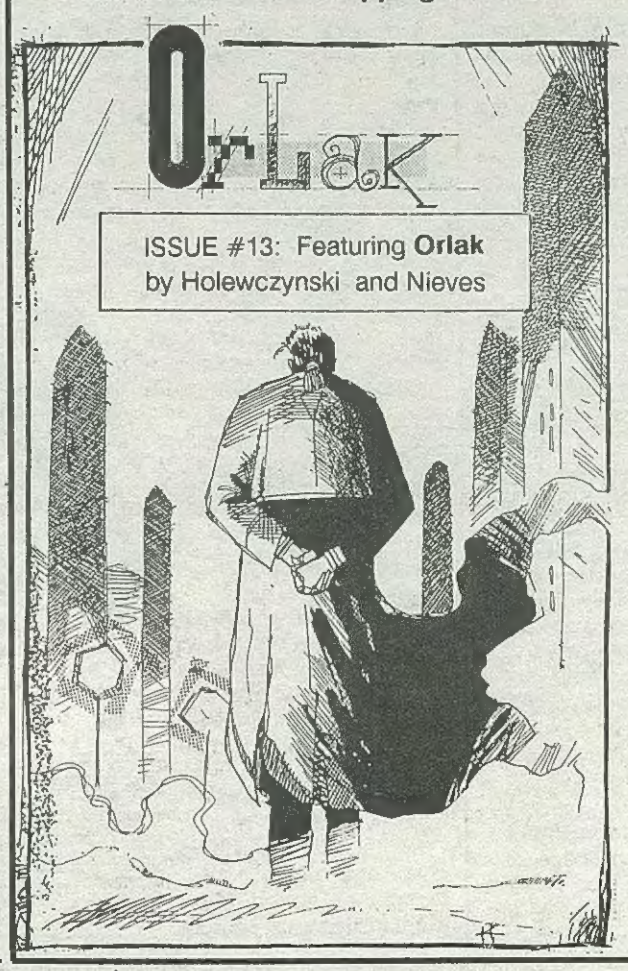

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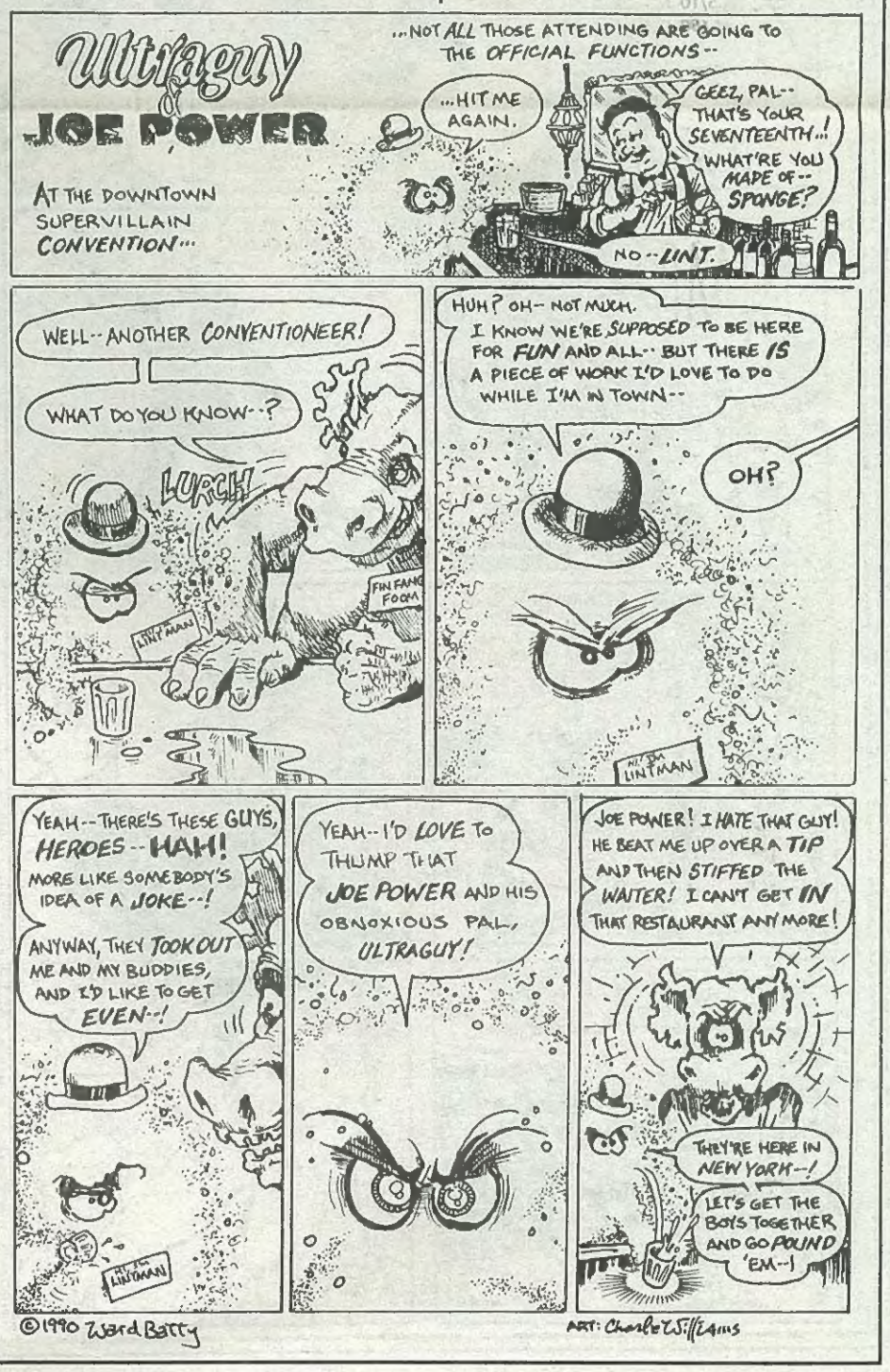
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AT THE DOWNTOWN SUPERVILLAIN CONVENTION...
...NOT ALL THOSE ATTENDING ARE GOING TO THE OFFICIAL FUNCTIONS--
...HIT ME AGAIN.
GEEZ, PAL-- THAT'S YOUR SEVENTEENTH...! WHAT'RE YOU MADE OF-- SPONGE?
NO--LINT.
WELL--ANOTHER CONVENTIONEER!
WHAT DO YOU KNOW--?
LURCH
FIN FANG FOOM
LINTMAN
HUH? OH-- NOT MUCH. I KNOW WE'RE SUPPOSED TO BE HERE FOR FUN AND ALL-- BUT THERE IS A PIECE OF WORK I'D LOVE TO DO WHILE I'M IN TOWN--
OH?
LINTMAN
YEAH--THERE'S THESE GUYS, HEROES--HAH! MORE LIKE SOMEBODY'S IDEA OF A JOKE--! ANYWAY, THEY TOOK OUT ME AND MY BUDDIES, AND I'D LIKE TO GET EVEN--!
YEAH--I'D LOVE TO THUMP THAT JOE POWER AND HIS OBNOXIOUS PAL, ULTRAGUY!
JOE POWER! I HATE THAT GUY! HE BEAT ME UP OVER A TIP AND THEN STIFFED THE WAITER! I CAN'T GET IN THAT RESTAURANT ANY MORE!
THEY'RE HERE IN NEW YORK--!
LET'S GET THE BOYS TOGETHER AND GO POUND 'EM--!
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WELCOME TO THE BROTHERHOOD OF CHAOS!
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YOU WHO WERE PRISONERS ARE NOW FREE...FREE TO ACT! AND WE HAVE FREED YOU FOR A REASON...
"YOU WILL BE FOOT SOLDIERS IN MY GREAT WAR!"
AH, GOOD MORNING, SIR. WAS THE PRISON BREAK THWARTED?
NOT REALLY.
WE NEED YOU TO SPREAD FEAR THROUGHOUT THE CITY!
YEAH, I'LL BET!
LOEBS, CINFA & NYBERG
4/24/90
SPUD DOTKINS DON'T TAKE ORDERS FROM ANYBODY!
EASY, MAN!
WHOP!
SILENCE, SCUM!
HEY!
WHOP!
HEY, YOU CAN'T ...OOF!
BOP!
LOEBS, CINFA & NYBERG
4/25/90
TUNK!
NO! MY MASK!
DON'T MOVE, SLIME!
GREASE 'EM... QUICK!
GO ON! I DARE YA!
LOEBS, CINFA & NYBERG
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WAIT! THESE MEN ARE DANGEROUS! AND USEFUL!
IN THE BATCAVE...
BUT WHY WOULD ANYONE GO TO SUCH TROUBLE TO BREAK SEVENTY MEN OUT OF PRISON?
I BROKE YOU OUT OF PRISON BECAUSE I NEED YOU! YOU ARE SOCIETY'S REJECTS!
YOU ARE THE HAMMER THAT WILL MAKE SOCIETY CRUMBLE!
DEATH AND MADNESS SHALL GRIP GOTHAM CITY!
SOUNDS LIKE FUN!
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THIS IS QUITE A JOINT. THEY GOT AN ARMORY AN' EVERYTHING!
THEY WANT US T'KILL FOR 'EM. THAT WORRY YOU?
LOEBS, CINFA & NYBERG
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NOT MUCH. I'M OUT OF PRISON. I'M SAFE. AN' NOBODY EVER CARED F'R ME.
AS LONG AS THERE'S PLENTY O' WORK FOR MY KNIFE, I GUESS I DON'T CARE 'BOUT ANYTHING!
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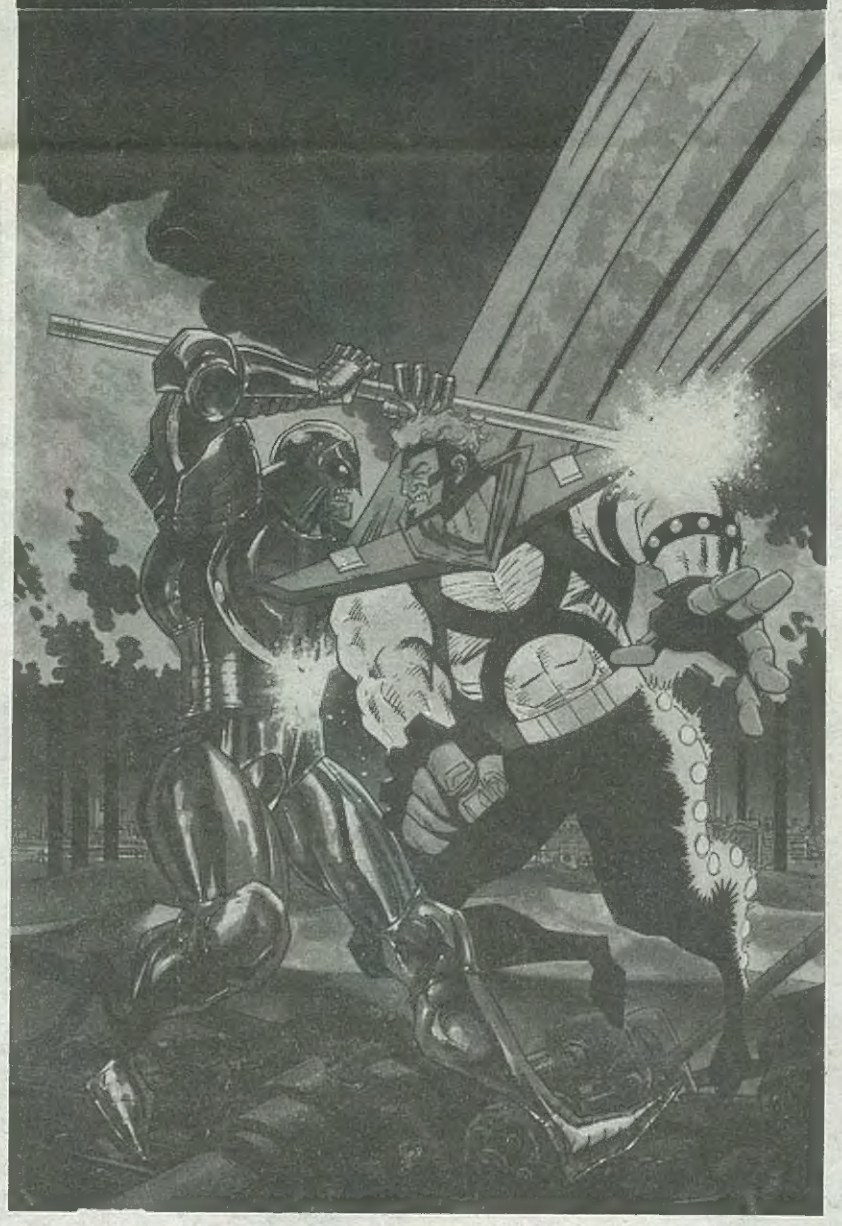

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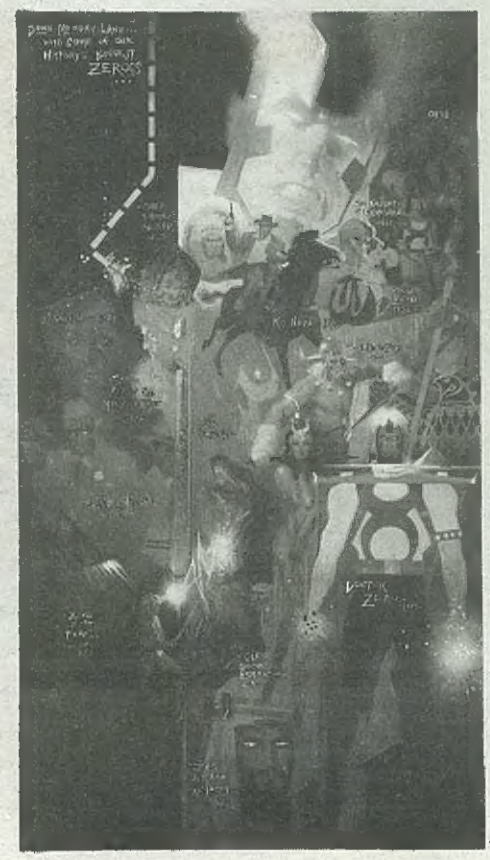

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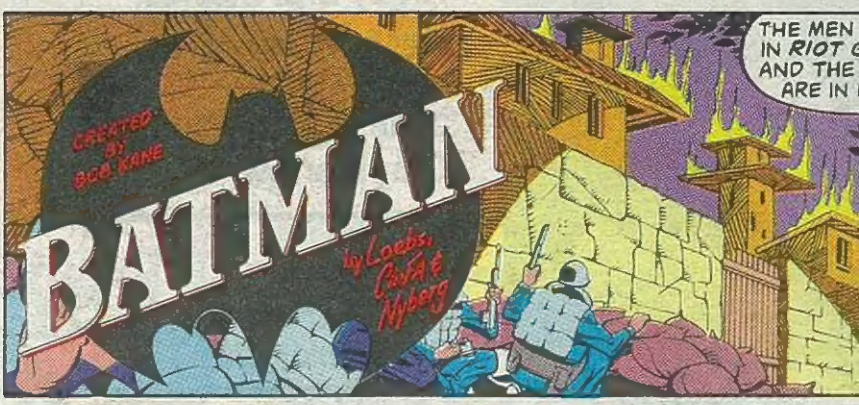

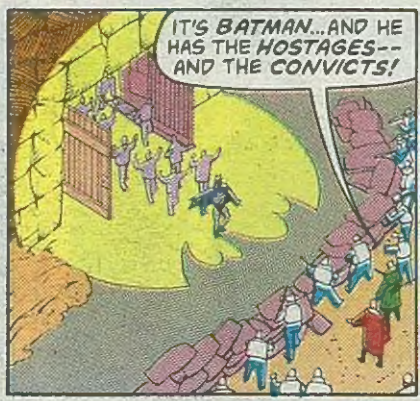

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A LOT OF THE CONS GOT INTO A VAN IN THE WOODS. YOU'LL NEVER CATCH 'EM!

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GOOD. IF WE'RE QUICK ENOUGH, THE RIOTERS MAY NOT HAVE A CHANCE TO HARM THE HOSTAGES.
WE'VE HEARD SHOTS. WE HAVE TO MOVE... BUT I'M AFRAID THIS WILL BE A BLOODBATH.
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